

# Supervisor Romaine Declares State of Emergency to Keep All Vehicles Off the Roads During Blizzard

posted on 1/2/2014 7:29:01 PM

*January 2, 2014*

**Farmingville, NY** - Supervisor Ed Romaine has issued a State of Emergency in the Town of Brookhaven effective 6:00 pm today, January 2. The declaration calls for all vehicles, except for essential emergency vehicles, to be off the roads after 9:00 pm tonight. Vehicles that are parked in the street must be moved to driveways or be subject to towing at the owner's expense. Any abandoned vehicles obstructing access for snowplows and emergency vehicles may also be removed by the Town.

Driving conditions are expected to be extremely hazardous throughout this evening and tomorrow, due to the expected accumulation of snow and ice. Town snow removal crews will be working throughout the night to clear the roads until all are safe and passable.

Residents should call 451-TOWN to report snow related issues. Call 911 for police, fire and ambulance emergencies only. To report a power outage or downed wires, call PSEG at 800-436-7734 or go to [www.psegliny.com](http://www.psegliny.com) to make a report online.

Please go to the Town's website at [www.brookhaven.org](http://www.brookhaven.org) for up-to-date snow storm related news, information, weather updates and emergency contact numbers.

The Town will also be sending out e-mail alerts to residents who have registered on our e-mail list. If you are not on the list, you can sign up today at [www.brookhaven.org](http://www.brookhaven.org) . Residents can also sign up for countywide Code Red alerts at [www.suffolkcountyny.gov](http://www.suffolkcountyny.gov) .

**Division of Public Information \* Office of the Supervisor**

One Independence Hill • Farmingville • NY 11738 • Phone (631) 451-6595 • Fax (631) 451-6258